

BUILD A BEAR WORKSHOP INC
Form 8-K
February 28, 2013

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT
TO SECTION 13 OR 15 (d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event
reported) February 26, 2013

Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Delaware

001-32320 43-1883836

(State or Other
Jurisdiction of
Incorporation) (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

1954 Innerbelt Business Center Drive

63114

St. Louis, Missouri

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

(314) 423-8000

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01. Other Events.

On February 26, 2013, the Board of Directors (the Board) of Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc. (the Company) extended the duration of the Company s previously announced \$50 million share repurchase program until March 31, 2014, subject to further extension by the Board. Under the extended share repurchase program, the Company currently intends to purchase up to \$50 million of its common stock in the open market (including through 10b5-1 trading plans), through privately negotiated transactions, or through an accelerated repurchase transaction. The primary source of funding for the program is expected to be cash on hand. The timing and amount of share repurchases, if any, will depend on price, market conditions, applicable regulatory requirements, and other factors. The program does not require the Company to repurchase any specific number of shares, and may be modified, suspended or terminated at any time without prior notice. Shares repurchased under the program will be subsequently retired. As of February 26, 2013, the Company had purchased approximately 5,890,000 shares pursuant to the share repurchase program for a total cost of approximately \$42.6 million.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

BUILD-A-BEAR WORKSHOP, INC.

Date: February 28, 2013

By: /s/ Tina Klocke
Name: Tina Klocke
Title: Chief Operations and Financial
Bear,
Secretary and Treasurer